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1. PRESS RECENTLY ANNOUNCED FOLLOWING GOG MEASURES AFFECTING RAILWAY SYSTEM:

(A). SPEARATION OF GHANA RAILWAY CORPORATION FROM PORTS AUTHORITY. GOG HAS SAID IT DOES NOT RPT NOT INTEND TO BRING RAILWAY INTO CIVIL SERVICE ESTABLISHMENT BUT TO CONTINUE TO OPERATE IT AS PUBLIC CORPORATION.

(B). APPROVAL OF CEDIS 20 MILLION (APPROX DOLS 17.4 MILLION) IN IMPORT LICENSES FOR PURCHASE BY RAILWAY CORPORATION OF NEW EQUIPMENT AND SPARE PARTS. CEDIS 9 MILLION (DOLS 7.8 MILLION) ALREADY PAID FOR 12 NEW TRAINS ORDERED FROM WEST GERMANY, EIGHT OF WHICH HAVE REPORTEDLY BEEN SHIPPED.

(C). RAILWAY CORPORATION HAS APPLIED FOR 20 MILLION CEDI LOAN FROM GOG FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS.

2. EMBASSY DOES NOT HAVE COPY 1973 ENGINEERING STUDY CITED IN REFTELS (A) AND (B).
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